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**Box PATENT APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Re: New U.S. Patent Appn.  
Washington, D.C. 20231 Our Ref: 852/48375

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

**Konrad WEGENER, Hans HOFELE and Sieghard MÜLLER**

entitled: **FORMING SYSTEM AND PROCESS**

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 30 claims (27 pages, including specification cover sheet).
2. 17 Sheet(s) of Informal drawings showing Figs. 1-18.
3.  Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted).
4. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 198 53 365.9, filed in Germany on November 19, 1998.
5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee	\$380/760 =	\$760.00
Total Claims	<u>30</u> - 20 = <u>10</u> x \$ 9/18 =	\$180.00
Independent Claims	<u>02</u> - 3 = <u>0</u> x \$39/78 =	\$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented		\$130/260 =
Total Filing Fee		<u>\$940.00</u>

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Respectfully submitted,

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